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SUBJECT: BELGIAN ATTENDANCE AT 64TH UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REF: STATE 68950

[1](#)1. (SBU). Belgian Attendance at the 64th UN General Assembly.

[1](#)A. The Head of State has no plans to attend.

[1](#)B. The Head of Government has no plans to attend.

[1](#)C. Attendance of the Foreign Minister.

-- Minister of Foreign Affairs Yves Leterme

-- Arrival date is September 20, 2009, and his departure
dates is September 27, 2009.

-- His spouse is not expected to travel to New York.

-- Interpretation would not be required for a bilateral
meeting. He speaks English fluently.

[1](#)D. Attendance of Other VIPs

-- Minister for Development Cooperation Charles Michel

-- Arrival date is September 23, 2009, and departure date is
September 25, 2009.

-- His spouse is not expected to attend.

-- The Minister's office recommends French interpretation in
any bilateral meetings.

-- Minister for Climate and Energy Paul Magette

-- He will arrive and depart September 22, 2009.

-- His spouse is not expected to attend.

-- Magette speaks English.

[1](#)E. Attendance of the Foreign Ministry Official for IO Affairs

-- Director General (Political Director) for Multilateral
Affairs Jean-Arthur Regibeau.

-- He arrives September 19, 2009 and departs September 28,
2009.

-- His wife is not expected to attend.

-- He speaks English fluently.

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